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| 13       | STEVEN TESTER, Defendant.  |
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| 15       | ORDER  |
| 16       | ONDER  |
| 17       | Upon stipulation of the parties to the above-entitled matter and good cause appearing,           |
| 18<br>19 | FINDINGS OF THE COURT:   |
| 20       | 1. The ends of justice served by the granting of the continuance outweigh the best interests     |
| 21       | of the public and the defendant in a speedy and public trial.                                    |
| 22       | 2. The failure to grant such a continuance in this case would deny counsel for the defendant     |
| 23       | the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due |
| 24       | diligence.   |
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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a period of time from the signing of this Order until the next court date be excluded under the speedy trial act, 18 U.S.C. Section 3161(H)(8)(A) and (B).

DATED: March 13, 2006

